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Lake Levels To Be Considered At Property Owners Meeting

An advertisement carried on page nine of this paper gives notice of a meeting to be held at Red Umbrella Inn on Saturday afternoon at 3 p.m.

The purpose of this meeting is to have representatives attend from the different property owners associations within the county to learn if possibly any solutions can be made to the vexatious water problems which we in this county are faced with due to the run off of water to keep the Trent valley system in operation.

This meeting will give the members of these various associations an opportunity to air their views and offer possible remedies.

Baptist Church Holds Sixtieth Anniversary

The Lakeside Baptist Church of Haliburton, invites its friends and members of the community to worship with them this August as they celebrate 60 years in this area.

The first three Sundays in August have been set aside to emphasize different aspects of the work of the church.

On August 6 Rev. E. A. Lorimer from Cochrane, who spent four years as pastor of the Haliburton Baptist Church and the other churches of the charge, will be the guest speaker. At this time the new communion table, which was made by Rev. Lorimer and donated to the church by him, will be dedicated. In the morning the service of holy communion will be observed. Every Baptist church member is urged to be present. Mr. Lorimer will be speaking in the evening as well.

Many people will no doubt remember Rev. J. W. Bee from Perth who spent eight years in Haliburton and district as pastor of the Baptist church. Rev. Bee will be speaking on August 13 at both services.

Following the evening services on both these nights there will be a fellowship hour when time will be given for the friends of these men to renew old friendships.

On August 20 Rev. G. Downing of Lakefield will be the guest speaker. Rev. Downing is at present moderator of the Trent Valley Association of Baptist Churches. He comes to us as a friend and counsellor, who has given the Baptist churches of this field hope and encouragement when they have needed it. His service was greatly appreciated when the late Rev. Wm. Robertson was suddenly taken four years ago in a car accident.

The morning services are at 11.15 a.m. and the evening services at 7.30 p.m. Everyone is welcome at all or any of these services.

Circus Attracts Huge Crowd

Seems there's nothing like a circus to draw a crowd. That is a fact that could be attested to on Monday when literally swarms of citizens from all over the county poured into Haliburton to view the Carson & Barnes show.

Unlike the former circus here, which was a complete flop, this show turned out to be a real three ring performance.

We think that this was the largest number of people to visit our town in many a moon.

The rain possibly was a blessing in disguist as a number of people who are in cottages would rather come to town than sit in their cottage. A considerable number of visitors stated that this was their first visit to the village.

Some are bemoaning the fact that the circus took a considerable sum of money out of town. We think this may be so but we had a lot of visitors who would not have come to town had it not been for the circus.

Those in charge of the show were pleased with the patronage received which was far above average.

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WHAT MINDEN COUNCIL DID

The regular meeting of tht Anson, Hindon and Minden council was held in the council chamber on Wednesday July 12.

A by-law was passed to regulate the speed of boats and motor vessels on the Gull River to a maximum of six miles per hour within the municipality and to provide a penalty of $10 for the first offence and $25 for each additional conviction.

The clerk was asked to write the commissioner of RCMP requesting his consideration regarding the establishment of a mobile RCMP unit in the district during the months of July and August.

The clerk was asked to write the Dept. of Municipal Affairs asking the department to consider a proposal put forth by Mr. A. Schuyler regarding the 66 ft. road allowance on the shores of lakes. Mr. Schuyler has recommended that the province pass legislation which would permit the owners of lakeshore property to purchase from the municipalities the road allowance between their properties and the lake. He has suggested that $1 per foot be paid to the municipalities and the funds collected be used to purchase and develop park areas for public use.

The clerk was requested to write Mr. D. Lytle stating that the council finds it impossible to spend any money on the road extension at Brady's Lake at the present time.

A letter is to be forwarded to the Ontario Water Resources Commission suggesting that a local well driller be considered carrying out a test drilling program.

A test drilling program has been approved by the municipal board and an agreement to test drill has been entered into with the OWRC.

Monday, September 25 is to be declared a civic holiday throughout the municipality.

The next regular meeting will be held on Wednesday, August 9 unless called earlier by the reeve.

Letters To Editor

Dear Sir:

In a recent copy of your paper you noted that the days of the railroad had come to an end in Haliburton.

If this is to be the case, and if there is every likelihood that the tracks will be removed, may I as a former resident of Haliburton respectfully urge that the village not delay in converting the long strip of bedraggled wildnerness between Head Lake and the highway into a handsome scenic boulevard.

Is this day when many of our larger cities are at last "discovering" their waterfronts, Haliburton should not be slow to realize what a delightful improvement this would be to an already attractive and hospitable village.

I visualize a long series of flower beds and areas of shrubbery, as well as picnic tables located where space permits.

The long expanse of green lawn that could run from the bridge on past the government dock would give a setting to Haliburton that wohld be admired by all who want to see a community make the most of its natural assets.

Yours truly,
Rev. David McGuire.

L. Neville Catches Huge Trout

What many claim to be the largest trout ever to be taken from Drag Lake was caught by Lewis Neville on Saturday morning last. This huge fish weighed 36½ pounds and was 40 inches in length and measured 25 in. around the girth.

Hundreds of people flocked to the Highland Food Lockers where the fish was on exhibition and a lot of pictures were taken of it.

In next week's issue of the Echo we will have a picture of this trout in order that those who did not have the opportunity to see it will get an idea of what a 36½ pound trout looks like.

How's your credit rating?

A number of businessmen in Haliburton are, and in fact for some time, have been considering the idea of forming an association that would enable them to learn the credit rating of the persons with whom they do business.

Poor credit is possibly the biggest headache of the small businessman and he has many. As one man put it, not so long ago, "We have a lot of big time Charlies in this neck of the woods that have money for everything else but to pay their honest debts."

Credit is a fine thing to

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HALIBURTON NEWS LETTER . . .

The local Rotary club are leaving no stone unturned to make their 18th annual Rotary carnival the best yet. The big show, which is slated for two nights, will provide almost everything in the way of entertainment.

On Tuesday evening the main feature will be the big stage show featuring Marjorie Waters as m.c., games, children's rides, and a car draw for a miniature Corvair should round out a pleasant evening for all.

On Wednesday night proceedings will get under way with a monster parade. The Rotary parade in Haliburton has always been a great attraction and it is expected that the event this year will be just as good, or a little better than past performances.

Immediately following the parade there will be a big stage show, which if our informants are right, will top anything that has been presented here yet.

At the conclusion of the evening there will be a draw for a boat and motor valued at $1,200. Nothing is being spared to make the 18th annual Rotary carnival better than its predecessors.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ken Carnochan and son Tommy, daughters Karen and Myra, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Carnochan.

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Many of our readers will regret to learn of the sudden passing of Clifford Austin in Toronto on Sunday last. The deceased was the son of Edith and the late Walter Austin. The late Clifford Austin resided with his parents here prior to going to the city and was at one time a valued member of the Haliburton Citizens' Band. His wife, tht late Isobel Bertram predeceased him. Left to mourn his loss, besides a sorrowing mother, are a daughter Doreen (Mrs. G. Chidley) and son William of Toronto. Two sisters and three brothers also survive, namely, Eva (Mrs. B. Ford), Fay (Mrs. J. Mitchell), Everett and Gerald of Toronto and Jack of Minden. The funeral service was held on Wednesday.

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Messrs. Doug Kenning, Joe Taylor, George Brennan and Elwin Roberton attended the 106th annual communication of the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario, A.F.&A.M., in Toronto on July 19.

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We are pleased to report that Miss Dorothy Clarke, who due to illness has been a patient in a Hamilton hospital, has recovered sufficiently to leave. Miss Clarke is now at the home of her sister, Mrs. T. B. Barrett at Port Dover.

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EDITORIAL

Biting The Hand That Feeds You

THE city of Peterboro has been carrying on a vigorous campaign to counteract the modest plea of the Haliburton Highlands Chamber of Commerce to have the waters in Haliburton County left at a decent level. According to information released in the press and radio after sending a deputation to Ottawa they have been assured that the same old policy with respect to the lowering of waters that has been in vogue for the past 40 years is to remain.

The present policy of draining our lakes to unreasonable levels is bound to do us irrepairable harm and the local chamber of commerce who are closely in touch with the thousands of tourist operators and cottagers in this area are certainly cognizant of this fact and the request that the chamber of commerce made to Ottawa in the light of what happened to many of our lakes last year was certainly a most reasonable one.

We wonder if the powers that be in Peterboro, instead of rushing to Ottawa, ever stopped to think what the maintenance of water in our many beautiful lakes means to them. It would do them good to make an inspection of some of these lakes on any Sunday to see the many attractive and costly boats skimming across the waters and if they are not totally blind they will note, prominently displayed on the bow of said boats, the word "Peterborough," and if they look a little closer on the motor you will notice the word Johnson. This name has been synonymous with Peterboro over the years.

The construction of boats and motors must mean quite a thing in work and wages for the city of Peterboro and as our lakes develop, this industry is bound to grow.

But one thing is certain, boats and motors require water to provide a demand for them so it might be well for the powers that be in Peterboro to take a second look at this matter. Possibly those parties who at present seem to be so far apart regarding this question might be able to find a satisfactory solution if they were prepared to sit down and discuss it in a reasonable manner.

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$3,000—Large home in village of Minden, good size lot. Good commercial site.

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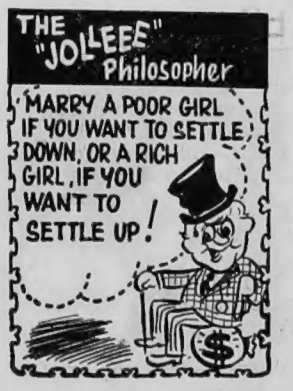

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COMMERCIAL LETTER
from Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce

Canada's transportation industry is likely to remain in its present state of flux until "a form of competitive co-existence" is achieved among its competing sectors, the monthly Commercial Letter of the Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce says.

Pointing out that the development of new forms of freight transportation has heightened competition in the industry — not only in Canada, but in every country — the Letter notes: "It is evident that each form of transportation is trying to find the markets which it can serve more efficiently. Until a form of competitive co-existence is found, those carriers which are losing markets to competing carriers will have to make severe adjustments to their operations."

Hardest hit at the moment are the railways. Since the end of the war, road transport has increased fourfold; airlines 12-fold; water transport twofold. Oil pipelines now account for a significant proportion of total freight. The railways, however, have had difficulty maintaining their volume.

The Commercial Letter says this competition has focused attention on "the fundamental problem inherent in the building of Canada's railroads, namely the interplay of straight business principles and such matters as national unity, the development of natural resources, defence policy and the like."

The railroads have not ignored competition, however. They have modernized equipment and improved services. Nevertheless, their pre-eminence as a carrier has been steadily diminishing, despite the growth in the economy.

In another section, the bank's Commercial Letter presents a study of the phenomenal growth of boating in Canada, and the burgeoning of a multi-million dollar industry. One in every 20 Canadians now has a boat—it is estimated there are now over a million pleasure craft plying the nation's waters. Enthusiasts lavish an estimated $50 million a year on boats and accessories.

Technological advances in production of materials and in the construction of boats has put this new sport—now evidently the most popular outdoor activity in Canada—within reach of everybody. Traditionally a field for small business, the boat building industry in Canada now shows signs of passing into the hands of larger firms.

"In 1959 there were 225 firms, employing about 1,800 people, engaged in the industry," the Letter says. "Only four had business worth $500,000 and over." Altogether, these firms turned out some 30,000 pleasure boats valued at over $10 million.

"Now there are indications that large diversified firms, with greater capital resources and more advanced research facilities are beginning to take the place of smaller concerns."

Rising Canadian production has been accompanied by an upward trend in imports. Ten years ago, the Letter notes, imports were negligible. "But in 1960 imported craft, mostly from the U.S., and valued at $3.3 million supplemented Canadian shipments." Exports of pleasure craft, on the other hand, are close to $1.5 million, two thirds of which go to the U.S.

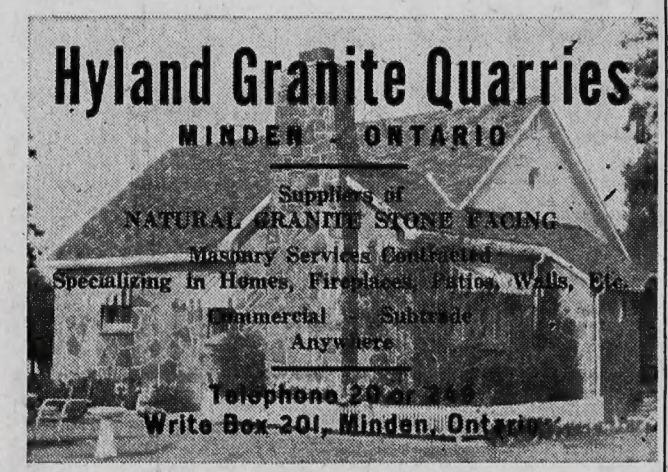
DONALD

Mrs. W. O. Bailey of Toronto is spending some time with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Emmerson.

Mrs. Bailey had been looking after her grandchildren while their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Bailey were holidaying on the west coast.

A surprise birthday party and a re-union in honor of Mrs. W. O. Bailey was held Sunday at the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Bailey on Haliburton Lake. Those present were Dr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bailey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Bailey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bailey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Bailey and family and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Emmerson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Rowland Wagg of Toronto were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Emmerson.



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ENGAGEMENT

Mrs. Pearl E. Sholer wishes to announce the engagement of her daughter, Barbara Evon to Mr. William Robert Burke. The marriage to take place on August 12 at 4.30 o'clock in the afternoon, in the Haliburton United Church.

Card of Thanks

In the midst of our sorrow, we wish to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to our many relatives, friends and neighbors for the kindness and sympathy shown us in the loss of a beloved wife and mother, Maud Deacon. We especially wish to thank the Rev. Staples for his consoling words, all the donors of the many beautiful floral offerings and the Welch funeral home for their kind efficient management of the service.

The family of the late Mrs. Dunn Gibbs wish to extend their heartfelt thanks and appreciation for the many acts of kindness, messages of sympathy and beautiful floral tributes in the death of a dear mother and grandmother. Special thanks to Rev. Thomas Gracie, the Welch funeral home and the many who helped to ease the burden at this time.
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LUTTERWORTH LEGENDS

Chapter 12

There were many pioneer families in Lutterworth's infancy, but the only one on which a documented history is available is the Hartles, three of whom appear on the 1786 muster rolls of the United Empire Loyalists.

In 1783, following the defeat two years earlier of the commander of the British forces, Cornwallis, at Yorktown, Adam, Christian and John Hartle Sr. abandoned their homes in New York state to sail for Halifax where they would face the hazards and difficulties of creating a new future there under the Union Jack.

Conditions at Halifax were even worse than anticipated so when the Crown offered its loyal adherents land grants in Upper Canada, the three Hartles and their families set sail again for Cornwall, Ont.

William Hartle, the sixth of the 10 children born to John Hartle Jr. (1792-1871) and Christian Cumings (1799-1868), was not satisfied with farming life along the St. Lawrence although, in addition to his own land, he had acquired in 1853 the use of 90 acres in the second concession of Cornwall township previously owned by his brother-in-law, William Cline whose marriage to William's sister, Christiann, had been terminated by her death two years earlier. In exchange for the land, William Hartle agreed to bring up Cline's little daughter, Christiann and Mary, as his own. To assist him in this serious undertaking, William Hartle chose Miss Maria Barnhardt of Cornwall and on November 8, 1855, they were married.

In the 1850's trapping paid larger dividends than the sale of farm produce so, like many another ambitious man from the eastern counties who reaped the wilderness, William Hartle turned his eyes to the unchartered but fur rich waters of northern Peterboro county which in 1874 became the Provisional County of Haliburton. On the many trapping expeditions which he made to this area, good fortune followed him until the fall of 1861 when an unseasonably early freeze up caught him unprepared on the head waters of the Trent.

With the lakes and rivers turned to ice, Hartle's canoe which he counted on to transport his heavy esason's catch to Cornwall, was useless. Without snow shoes to facilitate their passage across the drifts or heavy winter clothing to keep out the blizzard's biting breath, Wm. Hartle and the other eastern county men trapping in Haliburton that year were in a terrible plight; their journey towards civilization soon developed into a nightmare contest with the elements for survival.

Excepting for the fur packs which they were able to carry, even these seasoned woodsmen were forced to abandon both traps and hard won pelts which their families were depending on to buy food for the winter. Even without the heavy furs, some of them barely lived through the grueling death march.

To his fearful family, William Hartle's safe return to their midst just before the Christmas bells heralded the joyous birthday of the Holy Child, was a real miracle for the terrible storms had led them to believe him dead.

Rather than risk another such ordeal whose outcome might not be so pleasant, Hartle's courageous wife Maria agreed to try pioneering in Haliburton county in order to be with her husband. In the summer of 1862 Mr. and Mrs. Hartle sold their home in eastern Ontario and accompanied by their three children, Margaret Adeline, Donald John, Sarah Caroline and the two Cline children, loaded all their household goods and livestock into a box car at Cornwall for transport to Port Hope via the Grand Trunk Railway. It was an exceedingly hot summer with the thermometer rising to such a degree that the cows and horses were in danger of suffocation. At Port Hope everything was transferred to heavy wagons for the risky and at some places dangerous treck of 100 miles on the recently completed Bobcaygeon road.

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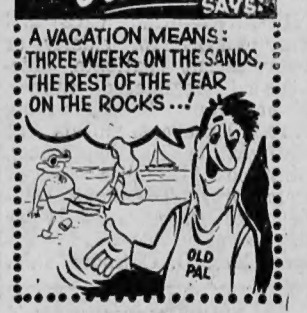

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Transport Department Replies To Dysart et al

The following letter was received by the Municipality of Dysart et al from the minister of transport, Leon Balcer, regarding the water levels of Haliburton County.

"We have been studying the letter which you addressed on April 26 to me regarding water levels in the Trent canal system.

This is a continuing problem of trying to reconcile interests wihch are not merely divergent but conflicting and the problem has been made more acute over recent years by the substantial increase in summer cottages that have been built in the general watershed area. It may be helpful if I reviewed the various factors involved. These are as follows:

Navigation

The main requirement of the northern watersheds is to maintain the water levels along the navigation routes from the summit to Lake Ontario. Because of the stratified condition of the rock at certain locations, namely Heeley Falls and Bobcaygeon the leakage from the lakes has to be supplied and this is much higher than the flow required for lockages.

Flood Control

Operation of a watershed required, in the best interest of the public, that every effort be made to reduce spring freshet and prevent flooding on the lower reaches. For this reason, we attempt to have the reservoir lakes empty at the start of the freshet and also draw down the navigation lakes somewhat to provide for flood control.

Preservation of Wild Life

Approximately 100,000 h.p. of electrical energy is developed along the various streams of the watershed. These power houses only have rights over the water surplus to navigation, which is required to maintain navigation levels or provide the flood control mentioned above. It is possible that the flows maintained are slightly higher than necessary to the benefit of the power interests and to the detriment of the reservoir levels during the period from the end of freshet when the reservoirs are full until October 15 when the reservoirs are empty and the streams are on natural flow.

Other Interests

The water is used as a water supply for the cities, towns and villages and industries along the system. The water levels affect the location of the supply intakes and the quality of the water affects the treatment required before it can be used.

Sewage from the various municipalities and industries is discharged into the system after either no treatment or partial treatment; however, pollution is under the jurisdiction of the Ontario Water Resources Commission. Many of the dams were primarily developed for lumber interests and lake levels were adjusted on their behalf. However, this requirement has been reduced in importance.

From the foregoing, it will be seen that there are several factors operating in the reservoir system over and above the requirements for navigation:

(a) The lakes must be filled at the end of freshet to provide sufficient water to maintain navigation levels during years of minimum precipitation.

(b) The lakes must be empty or nearly so, at the start of spring runoff to provide maximum flooding control measures.

(c) The Ontario Department of Lands and Forests requests that the reservoir levels not be reduced after October 15, trout spawning time; thus from October 15 until start of freshet the reservoirs are held at the low level.

(d) Recreation interests on the reservoirs would like to have the reservoirs at full level from May 24 to Thanksgiving.

(e) The power producers would like to have a relatively steady flow throughout the year with higher flows during the later fall and winter.

Obviously, it is going to be impossible to meet in full all the requirements of all the interests which have made representations to us. These may be some room for trial adjustments on a limited scale and we are studying these possibilities, intensively. I understand the province of Ontario is confronted in some areas with somewhat similar problems and we have been discussing this whole matter with them although no final decisions have been reached.

Basically, for this year, we are inclined to feel we must try to proceed along lines similar to last year; and indeed, our difficulties in this connection are not made any easier by the fact that low winter precipitation confronts us with the possibility of generally overall low levels this summer.

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United Church of Canada

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Minister:
Rev. George D. Petrie

Haliburton 11 a.m.

Ingoldsby 7.30 p.m.

Lochlin 8.45 p.m.

MINDEN

Minister: Rev. D. W. Staples

11 a.m. Minden

2 p.m. Maple Lake

3.30 p.m. Carnarvon

TORY HILL

Minister, J. VanDerVeen

Highland Grove ..... 10 a.m.

Wilberforce ..... 11.30 a.m.

Tory Hill ..... 1.30 p.m.

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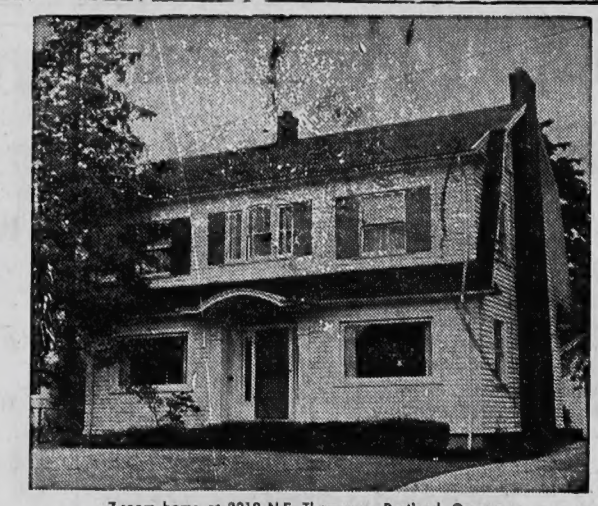

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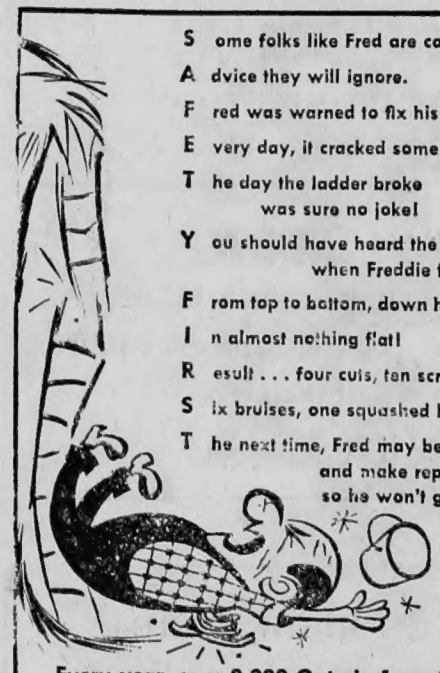

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OBITUARY

Bernard Scott Hobden

On Sunday, July 9 the death occured at his home in Eagle Lake of Bernard Scott Hobden in his 30th year. The deceased was a son of Elfreda and the late Walter Hobden who predeceased him 14 years ago.

Though handicapped from birth Bernard's alertness, keen interest in his surroundings and pleasant personality won him many friends .

Besides his devoted mother he is survived by five sisters and three brothers: Mrs. Olive Milne and Mrs. J. Powell (Blanche) of Toronto, Mrs. V. Quinlan (Alice) of Dunbarton, Mrs. Lewis Roberts (Lorraine) and Mrs. Robert Moore (Doris) of Eagle Lake, Milton of Peterboro, Harry and Walter of Eagle Lake. A sister Iva and brother Lloyd predeceased him.

The deceased rested at his home until Tuesday, July 11 when the funeral service was held in Haliburton United Church with Rev. Petrie officiating.

Pallbearers were James and John Moore, Peter and Harold Milne, Jack Upton and Donald McGuire.

Interment was in Evergreen cemetery.

CARNARVON

Mrs. M. B. Windsor has returned home after surgery in Western Hospital, Toronto.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Barnhart on the birth of a daughter, Barbara Ann, born in Ross Memorial Hospital, Lindsay; and to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Welch on the birth of a son in Haliburton Red Cross hispital.

Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Thomas and sons of Peterboro spent a few days with Mr. Frank Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Richie Gilmore and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gilmore and daughter, all of Toronto, are holidaying with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Minaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Laws of Toronto spent the week end at their cottage.

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MINDEN

Mr. and Mrs. Orie Loucks and son Eric of Fredericton are spending a few days this week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vinton Loucks.

Patients at the hospital on Monday were Mrs. Charles Dudman, Mr. Holland, Rev. Breurley and Miss Ranson.

A fire was reported at the Sam LeBarge home last Thursday night when an electric stove was destroyed by lightning.

The weather this month has been varied with a cool damp two weeks then a change to hot, humid weather with a good many heavy rains, at times bad enough to wash out the roads.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Russell and boys of Simcoe spent the week end with the Hugh Altons.

MAPLE LAKE

A stork shower was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Sisson July 18 for Mrs. Elois Sisson.

Congratulations goes to Mr. Fred Olan who has successfully passed tests and exams and the required number of flying hours and now holds a licence to fly a plane.

Mr. Charles Skelding Sr. quietly celebrated a birthday last week and may we say happy birthday Charlie.

The Community Guild held their July meeting at Carrie Morrisons with 10 members and a visitor from Saskatchewan, who is visiting relatives in our district, Miss Wright, daughter of the former Ollie Boice of this district.

Haying is well on the way and a fair crop is reported.

Miss Lou Bright is entertaining guests from Barrie and Toronto.

Several from Maple Lake took in the circus in Haliburton.

The sympathy of the community is extended to the family of the late Mrs. Annie Gibbs.

WEST GUILFORD

Mr. Arthur Sisson, who is employed by Hay & Co., suffered a heart attack and was rushed to the Haliburton hospital. We all wish Art a very speedy recovery.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Griffin at Eldorado, Sask., on the arrival of a baby girl, a sister for Marlo, Rondi and Cathy.

Mr. Wright and his daughter Mary from Alberta have been visiting friends and relatives. Miss Wright was a visitor at the Community Guild meeting on Thursday at Mrs. John Morrisons, Maple Lake.

The many friends of Lorne Cooper, who is now a patient in Sunnybrook hospital, Toronto, wish a very speedy return home.

The infant baby of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Barjarow, who was rushed to hospital in Toronto, is doing as well as can be expected.

We notice the newcomers to our community, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Moson and family have moved into their new home. We welcome these folks and trust they shall have a pleasant stay with us.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert O'Neil of Toronto visited their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Sims and family.

Prime Minister, Leslie M. Frost; Hon. T. Ray Connell, Minister of Public Works, and Hon. Dr. Matthew B. Dymond discuss progress of the building programme on the site at Cedar Springs Hospital School in September 1960.

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Early this summer the vast complex of the Ontario Hospital School at Cedar Springs will receive the first of its young residents. The $12,000,000. mass of brick buildings, originally planned in 1958, will become home to retarded children from South Western Ontario. Built on the shores of Lake Erie, the Hospital School is 14 miles from Chatham, 65 miles from London and 58 miles from Windsor. Some of the children from this area will be transferred from the other hospital schools at Orillia and Smiths Falls where they are at present resident, making it easier for parents to visit their children in hospital. The idea of a hospital school being a custodial institution where the children are shut away for life is now a thing of the past. Most retarded children can live at home, but where this is not possible their surroundings should be as comfortable and pleasant as we can make them.

Much of the 476-acre hospital site will be used, both as a training area and playground for the children. Landscaping, vegetable gardening, and fruit cultivation will be useful projects in the training of the adolescents. Sports will be encouraged and indoor and outdoor play facilities will be available for the smaller children. The modern buildings include a medical surgical reception unit and residential pavilions for a total of 1200 patients. School and training facilities will be available for all types of retarded children. A recreation hall, nurses' residence and administration building are still in the planning stage.

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BAKE SALE

St. George's Anglican Church Evening Branch of the W.A. are busy planning a bake sale and bazaar to be held on Saturday, July 29 in the afternoon on our local store verandah at Donald.

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BAZAAR and BAKE SALE

Maple Lake United Church, Friday, August 4 from 3 to 5.

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NOTICE

A reunion wil be held on August 13 at Carm Sawyers, West Guilford.

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obtain but it should only be extended to those who realize that they have an obligation to see that the one who extends it is not kept waiting for his money over a lengthy period of time.

During the past few months many of those in business have been really taken but they are, we think, going to profit by the lesson.

When business men learn that their chances of staying in business largely depend on being able to sort out the persons who will pay and those who don't intend to we imagine that there will be some changes made.

So come this fall we expect that an association will be formed who will pool their knowledge as to whom they consider good risks, slow payers and those who have no intention of paying.

Commencing Thursday Jan. 12, 1961, classified ads, in memoriams, cards of thanks, will not be received over the telephone. They must be sent in by mail or brought in person, accompanied with the money. All classified ads from henceforth will be on a cash basis. A minimum charge is 50 cents per issue.

Other rates are: Obituaries free, death notices 75c, in memoriams $1, cards of thanks 75c.

MOLOU theatre HALIBURTON

Sunday Midnite after 12.05

MON - TUES - WED

JULY 31 - AUGUST 1 - 2

THURS - FRI - SAT

AUGUST 3 - 4 - 5

Beaver Theatre MINDEN, ONT.

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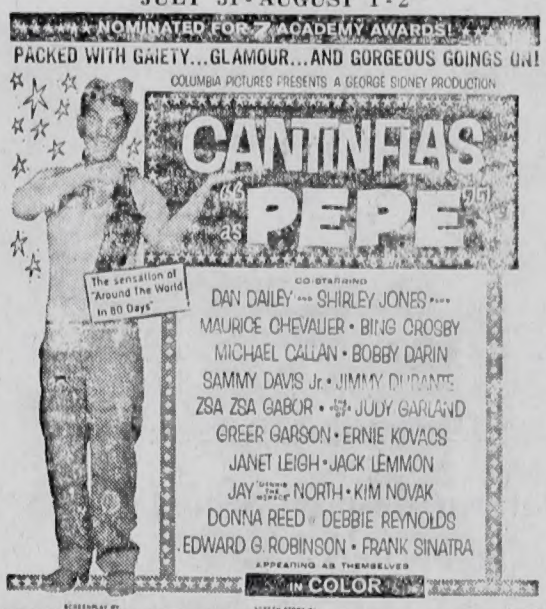

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